

# PATCO journal



PENNSYLVANIA AREA TOKEN COLLECTORS  
ORGANIZATION

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YOUR PATCO BY-LAWS AS APPROVED AT THE MAY 10, 1986  
GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING.

A PATENT NUMBER CHART - YEARS 1836 to 1985

## Post Card

THIS SPACE MAY BE USED  
FOR CORRESPONDENCE

In announcing the readiness of our  
completed display of new EASTER foot-  
wear, we call your attention to the cele-  
bration of our

### \* TWENTY-SECOND ANNIVERSARY

March 6th, 7th and 8th.

Special SOUVENIRS have been pre-  
pared for this occasion.

See daily papers for attractive  
ANNIVERSARY OFFERINGS.

FOR ADDRESS ONLY



THIS CARD WAS ISSUED BY  
GUS SIMON'S SHOE HOUSE,  
ALTOONA, PA. IN 1913.  
(see enclosed article)

*a. Simon & Co*  
MAL. H. NEUWAHL, Mgr  
1402 ELEVENTH AVENUE  
ALTOONA, PA.

# GUS SIMON

## Altoona, Pa.

BY JIM KRISS

THE TOKEN IS  
BRASS, 25mm,  
ROUND & SOLID.

Obv: GUS SIMON'S / SHOE /  
HOUSE / 1400-11TH  
AVE.

Rev: GOOD FOR / FREE  
SHINE



THE ABOVE TOKEN AND AN ADVERTISING POSTCARD WERE ACQUIRED IN 1985 AT THE GREENSBURG COIN CLUB SHOW FROM A DEALER FROM ALTOONA. THE ADDRESS ON THE MAVERICK TOKEN DIFFERED FROM THE CARD, SO A LITTLE MORE RESEARCH WAS NECESSARY. ( THE CARD IS ILLUSTRATED ON THE FRONT PAGE OF THE JOURNAL). THE 1891 ALTOONA CITY DIRECTORY LISTS SIMON, GUS SHOE STORE AT 1318 11th AVE. IN 1948 IT WAS LISTED AT 1411 11th AVE. IN 1950 THERE WAS NO LISTING. THE TOKEN WAS MOST LIKELY USED FROM 1902 - 1907 BASED ON THE ADDRESS. THE CARD DATES FROM 1913 BECAUSE IT WAS FOR THE 22nd ANNIV. WHEN I GET TO ALTOONA I HOPE TO CHECK THE MARCH 1913 NEWSPAPER TO SEE WHAT THE SPECIAL SOUVENIRS WERE AS ON THE CARD.

### A. SIMON & COMPANY SHOES

From: BLAIR COUNTY'S FIRST HUNDRED YRS.  
1846-1946

1411 ELEVENTH AVENUE BY: THE BLAIR COUNTY HIST. SOC.

- 1891—August Simon (1863-1904) started a shoe store at 1318 Eleventh Avenue.
- 1902—Moved to 1400 Eleventh Avenue.
- 1904—Upon the death of August Simon—Malcolm H. Neuwahl became managing partner.
- 1907—The Second National Bank took over the corner and the store was moved next door to 1402 Eleventh Avenue.
- 1924—Building at 1411 Eleventh Avenue built.
- 1930—Malcolm Neuwahl died.
- 1931—The business incorporated with these officers: Mrs. August Simon, President; Mrs. Mabel Bing, Vice President; Gus Neuwahl, Secretary-Treasurer.
- 1935—The business moved to 1411 Eleventh Avenue.

#### OFFICERS OF THE COMPANY

Mrs. August Simon, President  
Edgar S. Bamberger, Vice President  
A. S. Bing, Secretary-Treasurer and Manager

PATCO MEETING MAY 20, 1968

The meeting was called to order at 12:30 P.M. The Treasurer reported a balance of \$325.00. Old Business: The Mail bid rules as previously published in the journal were discussed and accepted. New Business: The proposed by-laws were discussed. A quorum was established as seven (7) members or more in good standing. After some debate, the by-laws were accepted as amended. Copies are to be included with the next journal. It was also noted that cards will be sent to members delinquent in their dues. Dues must be received by 5 June 1986 or member will be dropped. Meeting closed at 1:30 PM with Swap Meet to follow.

Respectfully submitted,

R. E. Hershey, Sec-Tres.

GAMING TOKENS



GAMING TOKENS D E B's GAMING TOKENS

# Gaming Tokens

NEVADA and ATLANTIC CITY GAMING and CASINO TOKENS and CHIPS:

WE BUY and SELL: SEND FOR A COMPLETE 22 PAGE LISTING and  
A ENCASED PENNY IN A GOOD LUCK HORSESHOE.

\*\*\*\*\* ALL FOR \$2.00 POSTPAID \*\*\*\*\*



## GASINO TOKENS

PO Box 6445  
Burbank, Ca 91505



## PATENT NUMBER CHART - YEARS 1836 TO 1985

The number of the first patent issued in each calendar year is shown. Find the two numbers (smaller and larger) which are closest to your patent number. The year opposite the smaller number is the year in which the patent was issued.

YEAR	PATENT NO.						
1836	1	1874	146,120	1912	1,013,095	1950	2,492,944
1837	110	1875	158,350	1913	1,049,326	1951	2,536,016
1838	546	1876	171,641	1914	1,083,267	1952	2,580,379
1839	1,061	1877	185,813	1915	1,123,212	1953	2,624,046
1840	1,465	1878	198,733	1916	1,166,419	1954	2,664,562
1841	1,923	1879	211,078	1917	1,210,389	1955	2,698,434
1842	2,413	1880	223,211	1918	1,251,458	1956	2,728,913
1843	2,911	1881	236,137	1919	1,290,027	1957	2,775,762
1844	3,395	1882	251,685	1920	1,326,899	1958	2,818,567
1845	3,873	1883	269,820	1921	1,364,063	1959	2,866,973
1846	4,348	1884	291,016	1922	1,401,948	1960	2,919,443
1847	4,914	1885	310,163	1923	1,440,362	1961	2,966,681
1848	5,409	1886	333,494	1924	1,478,996	1962	3,015,103
1849	5,981	1887	335,291	1925	1,521,590	1963	3,070,801
1850	6,980	1888	375,720	1926	1,568,040	1964	3,116,487
1851	7,865	1889	395,305	1927	1,612,700	1965	3,163,865
1852	8,622	1890	418,665	1928	1,654,521	1966	3,226,729
1853	9,512	1891	443,987	1929	1,696,897	1967	3,295,143
1854	10,358	1892	466,315	1930	1,742,181	1968	3,360,800
1855	12,117	1893	488,976	1931	1,787,424	1969	3,419,907
1856	14,009	1894	511,744	1932	1,839,190	1970	3,487,470
1857	16,324	1895	522,502	1933	1,892,663	1971	3,551,909
1858	19,010	1896	531,619	1934	1,941,449	1972	3,631,539
1859	22,477	1897	569,467	1935	1,985,878	1973	3,707,729
1860	26,642	1898	574,369	1936	2,026,516	1974	3,781,914
1861	31,005	1899	616,871	1937	2,066,309	1975	3,858,241
1862	34,045	1900	640,167	1938	2,104,004	1976	3,930,271
1863	37,266	1901	644,827	1939	2,142,080	1977	4,000,520
1864	41,047	1902	690,385	1940	2,185,170	1978	4,065,812
1865	45,685	1903	717,521	1941	2,227,418	1979	4,131,952
1866	51,784	1904	748,567	1942	2,268,540	1980	4,180,867
1867	60,658	1905	778,834	1943	2,307,007	1981	4,242,757
1868	72,959	1906	808,618	1944	2,338,081	1982	4,308,622
1869	85,503	1907	839,799	1945	2,366,154	1983	4,366,579
1870	98,460	1908	875,679	1946	2,391,856	1984	4,423,523
1871	110,617	1909	908,436	1947	2,413,675	1985	4,490,885
1872	122,304	1910	945,010	1948	2,433,824		
1873	134,504	1911	980,178	1949	2,457,797		

PATCO BY-LAWS \*

ARTICLE I: THIS ORGANIZATION SHALL BE KNOWN AS PATCO: THE PENNSYLVANIA NEPA TOKEN COLLECTORS ORGANIZATION.

ARTICLE II: THE GOAL OF THIS ORGANIZATION IS TO PROMOTE THE COLLECTING OF TOKENS, MEDALS, AND RELATED ITEMS.

ARTICLE III: MEMBERSHIP

Sect. I: Membership will consist of the following five classes: Regular, Associate, Junior, Life, and Honorary.

- a) Regular membership shall be open to all individuals of good character.
- b) Associate membership requires that the individual be an immediate family member of one having a regular membership. An associate member retains all rights and priveledges of a regular member, but only one PATCO Journal will be distributed to said family.
- c) Junior membership will be conferred on any person of good character under the age of 18. Junior members are entitled to all rights of a regular member except that they cannot vote or hold office. During the dues year in which a Junior member becomes 18, that member must become a regular, and pay dues accordingly, or relinquish membership.
- d) Life Membership will be open to all active members with 2 consecutive years of membership, at 20 times the annual dues.
- e) Honorary membership can be conferred on any individual who has rendered outstanding contributions to the hobby.
  - 1) Nominations for honorary membership must be made to the President in writing.
  - 2) A person may not nominate oneself.
  - 3) Said nomination must be published in 3 consecutive copies of the organizations journal.
  - 4) Nomination must be approved by a 2/3 majority of those attending the next official meeting.
  - 5) Honorary membership constitutes a paid-up life membership with all priveledges.

(as was accepted at the May 10, 1986 General Membership Meeting)

Sect. 3: The Vice-President shall preside in the absence of the President. Also, the Vice-President will act as chairman of the membership committee and as Program Chairman for club activities.

Sect. 4: The Secretary will keep correct minutes of all meetings, conduct and preserve the correspondence of the organization, notify all members of their appointment to committees and conduct correspondence as dictated by such committees.

Sect. 5: The Treasurer shall collect the dues and other moneys and keep a strict account thereof, and shall pay out money in the motions regularly made and approved at a meeting of the organization. He shall be made to report at least once a year or oftener if so required of the receipts, expenditures and balance on hand of the organization, which will be entered into the minutes.

Sect. 6: The position of Secretary and Treasurer may be combined into one position.

Sect. 7: Upon end of term, an officer not re-elected must turn over all data and property of PATCO to the incoming officer.

Sect. 8: Any officer(s) in dereliction of his(their) duties may, by a secret mail vote of 2/3 of the membership, be removed and a replacement provided.

#### ARTICLE V: PROCEDURES FOR ELECTION PROCESS.

Sect. 1: The President shall appoint an election committee of 3 members in good standing for the purpose of nominating elective officers.

a) Nomination is to be made by:

1) Recommendation by the election committee.

2) Signed request by nominee for stated office.

3) Nomination for organization office of a member, signed by two other members of good standing.

a) Accompanied by signed acceptance of nominee.

b) Nominations must be received by committee chairman by February 1 of election year.

c) The chairperson of the election committee shall deliver the nominations to the secretary. Each nomination must be accompanied by a signed letter of acceptance by the nominee.

- Sect. 2: Applications to become regular, associate, junior, and life member (excluding honorary, see Sect. 1-e.) shall be made in writing. Applicants must furnish name, address, and collecting interest. No sponsor is required.
- Sect. 3: All applications (excluding Honorary) shall be processed by a membership committee of 3 members appointed by the President, to include the Vice-President serving as chairman.
- Sect. 4: Upon approval of the membership committee, the applicants name etc. will be published in the next PATCO Jornal. If there are no objections to the application within 30 days after publication, admission to membership will be granted.
- Sect. 5: Annual dues shall be payable to the treasurer on or before May 1 of the year.
- Sect. 6: The amount of said annual dues for regular, associate, junior, lifetime and honorary membership will be fixed and determined by a committee of 5 appointed by the President. Any increase in dues must be published in the PATCO Journal 3 months before due date and voted on at the next regular meeting.
- Sect. 7: Members who have not paid their dues by July 1 shall be dropped from the membership roster. Any member dropped for non-payment of dues may pay the amount in arrears for reinstatement; except if application is made after 3 years, it must be made in the usual manner.
- Sect. 8: Dues must accompany application.
- Sect. 9: Those with membership numbers 1-35 are Charter members. Any charter member dropped from membership will not be re-admitted to Charter status upon reinstatement, but will be issued a new membership number.

#### ARTICLE IV: ELECTED OFFICERS AND DUTIES.

- Sect. 1: The elected officers of the society shall be; President; Vice-President; Secretary; and Treasurer. Their term of office shall be 2 years, with no restriction to re-election.
- Sect. 2: The President shall preside at all meetings of the organization. He shall appoint all non-elective officers and committees as may be necessary.

- d) Official ballots of nominees shall be mailed to each members in good standing with a return envelope marked "OFFICIAL BALLOT".
- e) The "OFFICIAL BALLOT" returned to the chairman shall be opened and tabulated by the 3 members of the election committee.
- f) If there is any elective position for which there is no nomination and acceptance, the President shall appoint said officer; written acceptance required.

#### ARTICLE VII: SPECIAL PROVISIONS

Sect. 1: Regular meetings will be held 4 times a year, falling in each quarter. The President shall dictate the time and place.

Sect. 2: Additional meetings may be called by the President. Also by any member with a written request. For such, composing of the signatures of 2/3 the membership.

Sect. 3: The President shall have the power to appoint committees to conduct the affairs of the organization.

Sect. 4: No officer or committee member shall, incur any expense in the name of the society except with approval of the President. (such approval is to be submitted in writing by the member.)

Sect. 5: A quorum to conduct business at a regular meeting consists of 7 members in good standing.

Sect. 6: All business, not covered in the by-laws, shall be conducted according to accepted Rules of Order.

Sect. 7: All disputes are to be referred for consideration to the executive officers.

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IN THIS ISSUE:

FOOD STAMP TOKENS OF PITTSBURGH BY JIM KRIS



PATCO SWAP &  
MEETING

12 Noon—  
October 16      4:00 pm  
*at the*

RAMADA INN

BREEZEWOOD, PA  
just off Pa. turnpike Ex.12



Many thanks to Rodger Hershey for arranging the swap meet.  
Also thanks to Rich Crosby for the membership cards enclosed  
with this issue. Nice job.

BY JIM KRISS &  
JIM KUNZ

# Food STamp Tokens of Pittsburgh

Food stamp change tokens are primarily what their title states, that is, change for a purchase involving the use of food stamps as payment. At different times in its history, the food stamp program by Federal law was required to issue change for less than one dollar in Food Stamp eligible purchases in a media other than U.S. Currency. Tokens, paper &cardboard slips, & even I.O.U's on a sales ticket were used, with plastic tokens seeming to be the most common. Following is a list of the Food Stamp Change tokens of Pittsburgh, PA. It is important to note that many of the tokens, etc. offered are from the original manufacturer's stock, often produced as samples but never actually issued or used by the merchant on the token.

The lists format is as follows: The tokens obverse followed by its material, size, shape etc. and description of its reverse. Any notation as to attribution etc. follows. Standard abbreviations apply.



ATLANTIC / AVENUE / CORNER / STORE

Pb, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 1d / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS
Pg, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 5d / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS
Pu, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 10d / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS
Pr, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 25d / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS
Pp, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 50d / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS

(listed in the 1975 Pittsburgh Telephone Directory)



505 HERSCHEL ST / BOB'S / GROCERY / 922-2245

Pb, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 1d / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS
Pg, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 5d / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS
Pu, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 10d / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS
Pr, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 25d / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS
Pp, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 50d / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS

(located in the West End section of Pittsburgh)



BURKE'S / DELICATESSEN / 609 S. TRENTON / PITTSBURGH / PA

Pb, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT /	1d / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS
Pg, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT /	5d / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS
Pu, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT /	10d / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS
Pr, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT /	25d / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS
Pp, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT /	50d / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS



BUSSEY / NEIGHBORHOOD / STORE / 7826 BENNETT ST

Pb, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT /	1d / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS
Pg, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT /	5d / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS
Pu, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT /	10d / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS
Pr, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT /	25d / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS
Pp, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT /	50d / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS



CAMPBELL'S / MEATS / 761-4433

Pb, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT /	1d / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS
Pg, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT /	5d / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS
Pu, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT /	10d / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS
Pr, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT /	25d / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS
Pp, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT /	50d / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS

(listed in 1975 Pittsburgh Telephone Directory at 3800  
Brighton Rd.)



FOODTOWN / SUPER

Pb, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT /	1¢ / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS
Pg, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT /	5¢ / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS
Pu, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT /	10¢ / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS
Pr, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT /	25¢ / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS
Pp, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT /	50¢ / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS

(listed in 1975 telephone directory at 2328 Arlington Ave.)



FRIENDSHIP / MARKET / &amp; / PIZZARIA / 362-8588

Pb, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT /	1¢ / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS
Pg, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT /	5¢ / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS
Pu, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT /	10¢ / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS
Pp, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT /	50¢ / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS

(a Fr 25¢ token probably exists but has not been verified by the authors)



KULLMAN'S / BAKERY

Pb, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT /	1¢ / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS
Pg, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT /	5¢ / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS
Pu, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT /	10¢ / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS
Pr, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT /	25¢ / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS
Pp, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT /	50¢ / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS

(Listed in Pittsburgh Telephone Directory at 2332 Arlington Ave., and 225 Brownsville Rd., both in the city limits.)



LEWIS / MARKET / 92 / SYLVANIA AVE / PITTSBURGH / PA

Pb, 29, Rd, Sd FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 1d / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS  
 Pg, 29, Rd, Sd FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 5d / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS  
 Pu, 29, Rd, Sd FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 10d / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS  
 Pr, 29, Rd, Sd FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 25d / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS  
 Pp, 29, Rd, Sd FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 50d / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS



ORLAN / MARKET / 2905 ZEPHYR / 331-9248

Pb, 29, Rd, Sd FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 1d / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS  
 Pg, 29, Rd, Sd FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 5d / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS  
 Pu, 29, Rd, Sd FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 10d / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS  
 Pr, 29, Rd, Sd FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 25d / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS  
 Pp, 29, Rd, Sd FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 50d / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS

(Esplen section of Pittsburgh)



PARTY CAKE SHOP / (bakers bust)

Pb, 29, Rd, Sd FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 1d / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS  
 Pg, 29, Rd, Sd FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 5d / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS  
 Pu, 29, Rd, Sd FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 10d / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS  
 Pr, 29, Rd, Sd FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 25d / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS  
 Pp, 29, Rd, Sd FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 50d / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS

(listed in 1975 telephone directory at 705 Brockline Blvd.)



PERRY'S / MARKET / 2316 / WEBSTER / 263-2790

Pb, 29, Rd, Sd FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 1¢ / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS  
 Pg, 29, Rd, Sd FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 5¢ / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS  
 Pu, 29, Rd, Sd FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 10¢ / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS  
 Pr, 29, Rd, Sd FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 25¢ / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS  
 Pp, 29, Rd, Sd FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 50¢ / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS



P.M. / 1241 BUENA / VISTA ST

Pb, 29, Rd, Sd FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 1¢ / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS  
 Pg, 29, Rd, Sd FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 5¢ / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS  
 Pu, 29, Rd, Sd FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 10¢ / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS  
 Pr, 29, Rd, Sd FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 25¢ / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS  
 Pp, 29, Rd, Sd FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 50¢ / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS

(located in the cities north side & historic Mexican War streets)



PORTER'S / SUPPERETTE / 900 / BRYN MAWR RD / PITTSBURGH / PA

Pb, 29, Rd, Sd FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 1¢ / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS  
 Pg, 29, Rd, Sd FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 5¢ / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS  
 Pu, 29, Rd, Sd FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 10¢ / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS  
 Pr, 29, Rd, Sd FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 25¢ / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS  
 Pp, 29, Rd, Sd FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 50¢ / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS



RUE'S / MARKET / 7400 / MONTICELLO ST / PITTSBURGH / PA

Pb, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 1¢ /	IN ELIGIBLE FOODS
Pg, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 5¢ /	IN ELIGIBLE FOODS
Pu, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 10¢ /	IN ELIGIBLE FOODS
Pr, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 25¢ /	IN ELIGIBLE FOODS
Pp, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 50¢ /	IN ELIGIBLE FOODS



STEWART'S BAKERY / (baker carrying cake)

Pb, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 1¢ /	IN ELIGIBLE FOODS
Pg, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 5¢ /	IN ELIGIBLE FOODS
Pu, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 10¢ /	IN ELIGIBLE FOODS
Pr, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 25¢ /	IN ELIGIBLE FOODS
Pp, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 50¢ /	IN ELIGIBLE FOODS

(listed in 1975 Pittsburgh telephone directory at 1225  
Federal St., Northside)



STOP / N° / KOP

Pb, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 1¢ /	IN ELIGIBLE FOODS
Pg, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 5¢ /	IN ELIGIBLE FOODS
Pu, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 10¢ /	IN ELIGIBLE FOODS
Pr, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 25¢ /	IN ELIGIBLE FOODS
Pp, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 50¢ /	IN ELIGIBLE FOODS



WICKS / SUPERETTE

Pb, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 1d / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS
Fg, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 5d / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS
Pu, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 10d / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS
Pr, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 25d / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS
Pp, 29, Rd, Sd	FOOD STAMP CREDIT / 50d / IN ELIGIBLE FOODS

(located at 1001 Penn Ave., Pittsburgh, PA)

THE FOLLOWING LOCATIONS HAVE BEEN LISTED OR OFFERED BUT HAVE NOT BEEN VERIFIED BY THE AUTHORS:

- Allessandro's Market
- Ejamarlu Market
- Enda's Place
- Hines Grocery
- Kuhn's Grocery
- Witts Market
- Wood & Sons Grocery



Keep It In Mind

# TOKEN & MEDAL SHOW

SPONSORED BY

## IKO-TAMS

INDIANA, KENTUCKY, OHIO - TOKEN AND MEDAL SOCIETY

SAT. AND SUN., OCT. 25 & 26 1986

HOLIDAY INN (DAYTON - NORTHWEST) ST. RT 48 & I-70

# Englewood, Ohio

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT:

Phone (513) 874-8696  
After 5 P.M.

# PATCO journal



PENNSYLVANIA AREA TOKEN COLLECTORS  
ORGANIZATION

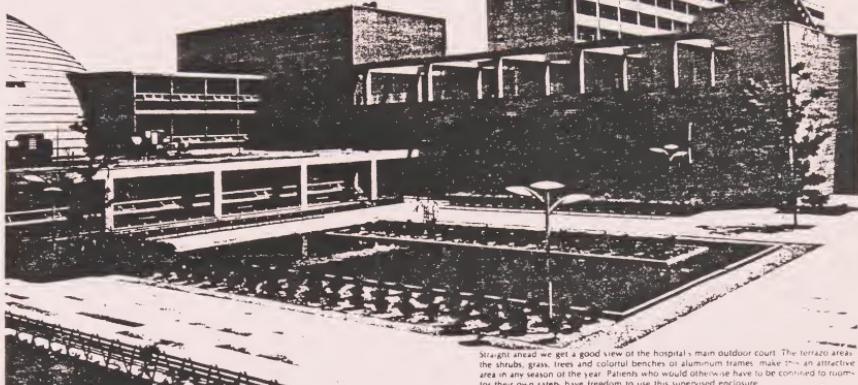
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IN THIS ISSUE:  
KANE HOSPITAL BY JIM KRISS

May the Joy of Peace and Brotherhood  
fill our hearts this Holiday Season  
and throughout the New Year

# Kane

Hospital by Jim Kriss



Straight ahead we get a good view of the hospital's main outdoor Court. The terrace areas, the shrub, grass, trees and colorful benches of aluminum frames make this an attractive area in any season of the year. Patients who would otherwise have to be confined to rooms for their own safety have freedom to use this supervised enclosure.

Kane Hospital was named after Allegheny County Commissioner Chairman John J. Kane. Some called it the "Big House." When Kane opened its doors in 1958 it was the world's finest hospital for the care of the indigent aging. On February 7th, 1958, the Dedication Program brought visitors from all parts of the country and as far away as Europe. Housing for tending staff physicians, pharmacists, and nurses were within the complex. Kane Hospital had its own barber shop, beauty salon, chapel, dentists, and fire department just to mention a few services to make the patients more comfortable. The Allegheny County project cost \$ 22,400,000 which provided for 2,100 patients. The hospital is located in Scott Township, Allegheny County which is Southwest of the City of Pittsburgh. The Allegheny County seat is located in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

KANE HOSPITAL / (building) / PITTSBURGH, PA.

(same)

Ni 17 Rd Sd

In the above photo, the tallest building in the background is the main hospital building in the complex. This building was eight stories high and had 23,000 windows. On the token, two windows high represent one floor, except ground floor having larger windows. The 17 millimeter (slightly smaller than a U.S. dime) nickel alloy token has the same obverse as the reverse, but with no indication of its purpose. To my knowledge, this is the only size, composition or design of this token.

Over a number of years I have seen the Kane Hospital token listed as/or possible shuttle bus, parking, cafeteria, dedication and radio token. About three or four years ago I questioned three Kane Hospital nurses at different times as to how the tokens were used. All three nurses told me the same story. Some of the patients felt they had money missing. No matter if absent-mindedness or pilfering were the reasons, the hospital administration took quick action by having a token made. The tokens could be used by the patients at the Snack Shoppe located on the first floor of the main building. Some of the patients refused to use the tokens, calling them play money. Neither of the nurses knew the value placed on the token. Contacting the Kane Hospital Public Relations Department personnel I was told by an employee working there for over twelve years that she never knew the tokens existed.

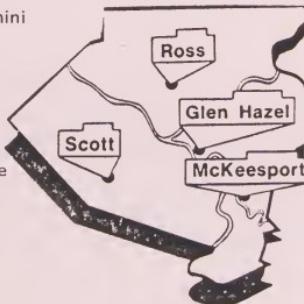
Occasionally I still see the token listed in auction catalogs as a radio token. Last month I called Kane Hospital Public Relations Department and found out there was new personnel in this Department who were willing to help me find the value placed on the hospital token. Two days later, as I could not be reached the following day, I received a telephone call with more information on the token than I was seeking.

The hospital started using the tokens in the late 1950's; this would place the time period shortly after the hospital opened; and were used up to the late 1960's. A value of 25¢ was placed on each token. This amount could be used by the patients at the hospital Snack Shoppe. The metal token was replaced with paper script.

At one time the Kane Hospital token was very common; by the roll in the Pittsburgh area. They have dried up since, but I still feel they are a common trade check. Any PATCO member that would like to have one for their collection, please send me a self-addressed stamped envelope.

For a quarter of a century Kane Hospital provided for the chronically ill. With the introduction of Medicare and Medicaid and the increase in regulations of life safety requirements, the "Big House" became outdated. April 5, 1982 marked the date for the Ground Breaking of four new Kane Regional Centers. These mini hospitals will accept the challenge to care for its elderly and handicapped. The Kane mini hospitals are located in Glen Hazel, McKeesport, Ross Township and Scott Township, each having 360 beds. This is the largest County-owned Nursing Home System in the Commonwealth.

The mini hospitals still provide a Snack Shoppe for its patients which is located on the ground floor. The food concessions are contracted out. Today, patients use coupon tickets to buy



at the Snack Shoppe. When first used they came in a book of \$ 15.00 value. Now the book contains \$ 25.00 worth of coupon tickets. The tickets are paid for by the State for any patient that cannot afford them. They are printed by the National Ticket Company in Shamokin, Pennsylvania. Their size is 2" x 1". The denominations are 1¢-3¢-5¢-10¢-25¢-50¢. Each denomination is of a different color. I tried to buy a set, but was told they had to be turned in and the only way I could get a set is to become a patient. I have a 5¢ which is an off-shade of pink, so I'm part way there! Volunteer hospital workers are given a signed slip from their Supervisor to receive a free lunch. Cash can also be used at the Snack Shoppes.

I would like to thank the Kane Hospital Public Relations Department, nurses, and volunteer workers.

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By R.E. Hershey

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# The Wheel

BY JIM KUNZ



The risque Little Egypt, legendary belly-dancer, opened many eyes on the "Streets of Cairo" at the 1893 World's Columbian Expo Midway. But on June 21, 1893, the World's engineering eyes and soul were on Mrs. Margaret Ferris, wife of George W.G. Ferris Jr., who dedicated the Ferris Wheel.

For 19 weeks this marvel was to circle the expo and prove the vision, skill and promotional prowess of its inventor, George Washington Gale Ferris, Jr.

The ride took 20 minutes, involving 2 revolutions. Each lifting the patron to the highest vantage point of the Expo. It was 15 stories tall, weighed 2.3 million tons, and was powered by two 1000 horsepower steam engines. At the 1893 Columbian Expo. it stopped every 100 seconds to pick up its 1.4 million riders who paid the exorbitant price of the era of 50¢ per ride.

George Washington Gale Ferris Jr., born in Carson City, Nev., attended Rensselaer Polytechnic in Troy, NY, graduating with a mechanical engineering degree in 1881. In 1883 he moved to Pittsburgh and started the G.W.G. Ferris & Co., who's primary business was the inspection of the iron & steel used in bridge construction. 'Legend' at this point, has it that Ferris designed the wheel while listening to a Saturday lecture by "co-inventor" of the skyscraper Daniel Burnham. Regardless of its origins, Ferris sold the idea and raised \$400000 to build the wheel.

The wheel was built. As was noted, he charged 50¢ per ride. This grossed over \$700,000. But building expenses of more than \$325,000 proved to be more than enough. Expenses to move the wheel after the fair, first to North Clark St., in Chicago, then later to the 1904 World's Fair in St. Louis were overwhelming. In 1906, 10 years after Ferris's death, the wheel was dynamited for scrap. The following exonumia survives its death:

- 1) OBV: WORLDS COLUMBIAN EXPOSITION / (doomed building) /  
ADMINISTRATION BUILDING  
REV: GREATEST MECHANICAL ACHIEVEMENT OF THE AGE / FERRIS  
WHEEL ( on a ribbon above a scene of the wheel) /  
HEIGHT 264 FEET WEIGHT 4300 TONS / CAPACITY 2160  
PERSONS ENGINES 2000 HORSEPOWER

ALUMINUM, 44mm, Scarce



- 2) OBV: THE FERRIS WHEEL / HEIGHT 264 FEET WEIGHT 8600000lbs.  
CAPACITY 2160 PEOPLE / (FERRIS WHEEL) / ONE OF THE  
WONDERS OF THE WORLD  
REV: (FIVE EXPOSITION BUILDINGS ILLUSTRATED): ( ADMINISTRATION;  
overlaps other buildings from center.) SD CHILDS & CO  
CHICAGO

ALUMINUM, 39mm, scarce



3) Same as obverse of above.

REV: WORLD'S COLUMBIAN EXPOSITION / (Building at fair) / HORTICULTURAL BUILDING (H&K # 172)

Aluminum, 39mm, Scarce

4) OBV: same as above

REV: SOUVENIR OF THE WORLD'S COLUMBIAN EXPOSITION / FACTS / ABOUT CHICAGO / POPULATION 1500,000. / LENGTH OF CITY 26 MILES. / GREATEST WIDTH 15 MILES. / TOTAL AREA 190 SQUARE MILES. / 2210 MILES OF STREETS. / CHURCHES NUMBER / OVER 400; / 1893 (H&K #173)

Aluminum, 39mm, Scarce,

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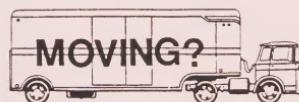
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ON SUNDAY, MARCH 8, 1987 THERE WILL BE A COLLECTIBLES SHOW IN CASTLE SHANNON, PA. JUST DOWN THE ROAD. IF YOU WOULD ALSO LIKE TO SET UP AT THIS, LET ME KNOW, JIM KUNZ, AND I'LL FORWARD DETAILS.





REPORT OF THE SECRETARY - TREASURER:

Our October 16, 1986 Swap Meet at the Ramada Inn, Breezewood, PA should have been reported on in the last issue of the journal.



Bob Kelley from Cincinnati, OH attended and should be commended for the travel. Fifteen other members came from Pittsburgh and Thomas Lloyd came from Johnstown, PA. Not only did he come, he brought us a new member, Tom Shook. We had food, drink and an especially nice spacious, well lighted room.

Moved half way across the state and well advertised as it was a concern that no one from the Eastern part of the state attended. What will it take to get participation from there? It has been requested that someone from the East set up a swap & meeting there - no response.

No more sour grapes - just want to say you missed some good material. We missed you and your material also.

A discussion during the Business Meeting included but was not limited to : The possibility of a maverick editor; Enclosing envelopes for dues reminders; Passing on "Hoard" information; Location of meeting places; and Financial status. (Our bank Balance as of 12-4-86 was \$273.74)

Respectfully submitted,  
R. E. Hershey  
Secretary-Treasurer, PATCO



Pittsburgh Peep-Show Tokens  
by Rich Bottles Jr.



When most people think of trade tokens, they think of a token which entitles the bearer to a free food item or money off of certain merchandise. However, a couple of Pittsburgh tokens offer something different.

Whereas a coin collector may hold up his 18th century Fugio cent and try to imagine who else may have handled the coin, we token collectors should put such thoughts out of our minds for a moment while I list a couple Pittsburgh peep-show tokens.

The first is an obsolete bronze 40mm piece with the obverse words: "LIBERTY AVENUE SHOWPLACE/ 637 LIBERTY AVE./ PITTSBURGH, PA./ OVER/ ADULT ENTERTAINMENT." The reverse reads: "THIS TOKEN/ ENTITLES YOU TO/ SEE AND TALK TO A/ LIVE NUDE GIRL/ FACE-TO-FACE./ OVER/ ADULT ENTERTAINMENT."

The second token is a brass 28mm piece that is still in use downtown. However, the proprietors of the establishment are not exactly sympathetic to token collectors. The special tokens, which are intended to be re-used as slugs to activate a mechanical blind within a booth, are probably too expensive to manufacture for distribution to collectors (even at a dollar each).

The obverse reads: "UPSTAIRS/ TO/ SNEAK/ A/ PEEK/ 801 LIBERTY AVE./ PGH., PA." The reverse words are: "ADULT MOVIES/ LIVE/ NUDE/ GIRLS/ FILMS MAGAZINES."



# PATCO journal



## PENNSYLVANIA AREA TOKEN COLLECTORS ORGANIZATION

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PENNSYLVANIA MAVERICKS  
1987 ELECTION BALLOTS



— / BILSKI'S / CAFE / —  
GOOD / FOR 15¢ IN / TRADE

Pg. 23, Rd, Sd  
(1945 Business Directory)

ILLUSTRATED ABOVE IS ONE OF THE NUMEROUSE PENNSYLVANIA  
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*Wear Ye!*

ENCLOSED ARE YOUR 1987 BALLOTS AND RETURN ENVELOPES. PLEASE MARK THEM AND RETURN THEM WITH ANY SUGGESTIONS ON A SEPERATE SHEET IN THE ENVELOPE PROVIDED. PLEASE PROVIDE POSTAGE AS THE POST OFFICE WILL NOT DELIVER.

# Donnell's

OF TARENTUM

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BY LARRY DZIUBEK

DURING THE PAST SUMMER I CAME INTO POSSESSION OF A SET OF FIVE COPPER MERCHANT TOKENS THAT GREATLY RESEMBLED COAL SCRIPT. MY FIRST DESIRE WAS TO DISCOVER MORE ABOUT THE OWNER AND THE BUSINESS. FORTUNATELY I LOCATED A NIECE THAT PUT ME ON THE TRACK OF AN OBITUARY.

HOMER LEMOYNE DONNELL WAS BORN TO KENNEDY AND ANNIE NESBIT DONNELL IN FAWN TOWNSHIP ON JANUARY 26, 1880. THE FAMILY HOME-STEAD STOOD AT THE RIDGE ROAD - DONNELLVILLE ROAD INTERSECTION, BUT WAS DESTROYED BY FIRE. THE FAMILY MOVED TO TARENTUM IN THE FALL OF 1900. HOMER WORKED FOR ONE YEAR AT THE BAKER WORKS OF WESTERN TOOL AND FORGE CO. THEN HE WORKED AS A JANITOR AT THE ALLEGHENY VALLEY Y.M.C.A. UNTIL THE FALL OF 1905, WHEN HE BEGAN TO WORK AS WEIGHMASTER AT HAMILTON COAL CO. HE TOLD STORIES OF RIDING THE EMPTY COAL PAN ACROSS A CABLE ABOVE THE ALLEGHENY WHEN IT WAS ICED OVER.

IN THE SPRING OF 1906 MR. DONNELL OPENED A GROCERY STORE AT THE CORNER OF THIRD & MAIN STREETS IN TARENTUM, PA. THIS IS THE ADDRESS THAT APPEARS ON THE \$1.00 AND 50¢ PIECES, WHILE THE OTHER THREE ARE "MAVERICKS". HOMER OPENED ANOTHER STORE IN 1913 ON THE CORNER OF E. 7th AVE. AND ROSS STS.

ON JUNE 25, 1912 HE WAS MARRIED TO MISS JESSIE IRENE SHOOP OF CHESWICK. IN 1917 THEY GAVE UP THE BUSINESS AND MOVED TO A HOME IN FAWN TOWNSHIP 1 1/4 MILE FROM HIS BIRTHPLACE, AND LIVED THERE THE BALANCE OF HIS LIFE. HE BECAME A TRUCK FARMER AND RAISED STRAWBERRIES, RASPBERRIES, FLOWERS AND VEGETABLES FOR THE NEXT 46 YEARS. HE ORGANIZED WHAT LATER BECAME THE PLAZA FARMERS MARKET IN NATRONA HEIGHTS PLAZA.

DONNELL WAS A LIFELONG REPUBLICAN AND WAS ELECTED TO THE FAWN BOARD OF SUPERVISORS IN 1926 AND SERVED AS SECRETARY UNTIL 1963. HE WAS ALSO A MEMBER OF THE SCHOOL BOARD FOR 18 YEARS, INCLUDING MANY YEARS AS PRESIDENT. IT IS SAID THAT HE DID NOT MISS A MEETING IN ALL THOSE YEARS. HE WAS A LIFELONG MEMBER OF THE CENTER METHODIST CHURCH, AND THE FAWN TWP. VOLUNTEER FIRE CO. #2.

AT AGE 83 HOMER DONNELL WAS HOSPITALIZED FOR A VIRUS AND SUFFERED A HEART ATTACK EIGHT DAYS LATER, ON NOVEMBER 24, 1963 HE PASSED AWAY AND IS BURIED IN MOUNT AIRY CEMETARY. IN ADDITION TO HIS SURVIVING TOKENS, HE IS ALSO REMEMBERED IN LOWER BURRELL BY A STREET NAMED IN HIS HONOR.

FOLLOWING IS A LIST OF THE TOKENS ISSUED BY MR. DONNELL:



DEAL AT / 1 / DONNELL'S / / / /  
IN TRADE / 1 / PAT. JUN. 1909 /  
INGLE SYSTEM  
Copper, 18mm (note 0/E on obv.)



DEAL AT / 5 / DONNELL'S / / / /  
IN TRADE / 5 / PAT. JUN. 1909 /  
INGLE SYSTEM  
Copper, 20mm



DEAL AT / 25 / DONNELL'S ////  
IN TRADE / 25 / PAT. JUN.  
1909 / INGLE SYSTEM  
Copper, 24mm



DEAL AT / DONNELL'S / 50 /  
3RD AVE. / TARENTUM, PA. ////  
IN TRADE / 50 / PAT. JUN.  
1909 / INGLE SYSTEMS  
Copper, 30mm



DEAL AT / DONNELL'S / 100 /  
3RD AVE. / TARENTUM, PA. ////  
IN TRADE / 100 / PAT. JUN.  
1909 / INGLE SYSTEM  
Copper, 34mm



P.A.T.C.O. MEMBER BOB KELLEY  
REPORTS THE FOLLOWING TOKEN:

NORTHAMPTON / COUNTY / PRISON ////  
GOOD FOR / 5d / IN TRADE  
Brass 21mm.

A SIMILAR PIECE IS LISTED IN ZARA'S  
BOOK ON PRISON MONEY BUT HIS TOKEN  
STATES NORTHAMPTON CITY PRISON.  
ANY INFORMATION CONCERNING OTHER  
DENOMINATIONS, DATE OF ISSUE, REASON  
FOR DIFFERENCE IN LISTING OR ARE THERE  
TWO DIFFERENT INSTITUTIONS?  
WRITE BOB KELLEY, 12000 LAWNVIEW,  
APT. 9, CINCINNATII, OHIO 45246

PENNSYLVANIA MAVERICK TOKENS  
Edited by Jim Kunz

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BEGINNING WITH THIS ISSUE P.A.T.C.O. IS HAPPY TO START A PENNSYLVANIA MAVERICK COLUMN. A PROJECT LONG OVERDUE. THIS IS NOT TO BE A MAVERICK COLUMN PER-SE BUT IS TO BE A LISTING OF KNOWN PENNSYLVANIA MAVERICKS. IF YOU HAVE A PENNSYLVANIA 'MAVERICK' THAT HAS BEEN ATTRIBUTED, PLEASE FORWARD A COMPLETE DESCRIPTION, INCLUDING SIZE, COMPOSITION, COLOR, EDGE, ETC.; A RUBBING, PHOTO OR IMPRESSION; PLUS YOUR SOURCE OF ATTRIBUTION (i.e. Business directory, telephone directory, personal encounter w/ issuer, or other documental source). If it has been attributed because your Aunt Sarah at 93 years told you Uncle Dave got it from so & So in the big war, or the Flea market dealer swears it is from the original estate of so & so, the attribution is not good enough. Go to the library and verify it. THE TOKENS ARE TO HAVE BEEN ISSUED IN PENNSYLVANIA. (P.S. Even though other maverick listings are usually reliable, they are not acceptable as a source of I.D., verify the piece). ALL MAVERICKS WILL BE ISSUED A NUMBER IN ORDER OF THEIR VERIFICATION SIMPLY FOR THE SAKE OF REFERENCE.

0001 ERIE (Erie County) PA.

STAR LAUNDRY & DRY CLEANERS / PHONE /  
4-6411 / 119 E. 2<sup>1/2</sup> ST.  
LIMIT ONE TO / 50¢ / IN TRADE /  
A CUSTOMER

Aluminum, 32mm, Round, solid

(1952 Business Directory, by Jim Kriss)



0002 HOMESTEAD (Allegheny County) PA.

VICTOR SHOE CO. / HOMESTEAD'S /  
LARGEST / SHOE / STORE  
VICTOR SHOE CO. / 100 /  
PREMIUM MONEY

Aluminum, 29mm, Round, Solid

(1937, 38-39, 41 Business Directories;  
1975 & 85 Pgh. Telephone Dir.; by Jim Kriss)



0003 JOHNSONBURG (Elk County) PA.

B.P.O.E. / NO. 612  
GOOD FOR 5¢ IN TRADE

Brass, 21mm, Round, Solid

(1983 B.P.O.E. Dir., by Jim Kriss)



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WE INVITE YOU TO JOIN OUR ORGANIZATION.

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(PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT)

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**ADDRESS**

CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

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PITTSBURGH, PA. 15235

P.A.T.C.O. 1987 ELECTION  
BALLOT

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NO OTHER NOMINATIONS WERE RECEIVED.

BALLOTS MUST BE RECEIVED BY MARCH 31, 1987.

RETURN IN ENCLOSED "OFFICIAL BALLOT" ENVELOPE.

PLEASE PLACE SUFFICIENT POSTAGE ON ENVELOPE.  
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AND CLUB & SWAP NEWS



ANOTHER SUCCESSFUL SWAP MEET

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### BUTLER COUNTY'S FIRST REPORTED TRANSPORTATION TOKEN

by Richard Bottles Jr.

The problem with Butler County, Pennsylvania area tokens is that, except for some parking and trade tokens, there isn't much to collect. There are no reported amusement, Civil War, car wash, or transportation tokens listed for Butler County. Transportation tokens from Emleton, Foxburg, and Parkers Landing come close, but are still a few miles outside of Butler County.

However, the TT situation in Butler County seems to have changed recently with the insurance of a fare token for the Butler Area Transit System (BATS).

In the March 12, 1987 edition of the Butler Eagle newspaper, an announcement was made that the Butler County Community College would start selling students bus fare tokens on Monday. The tokens would be sold only to students at a quarter a piece (with a monthly limit of ten tokens per student). The college's student senate is subsidizing the program by paying half of the 50 cent one-way fare. The subsidy limit for the school per month is reportedly \$50, thus it appears no more than 200 tokens per month will be sold to students at the college. The Butler Area Transit System is not selling the tokens at all.

At this point, the only token I have seen is a 29 mm solid round red plastic with the inscription in black. I am not aware of any other colors or varieties.

Obverse: BUTLER AREA / TRANSIT / SYSTEM  
Reverse: (mini-bus depiction)

The token will probably be listed as "PA 142-A" in the AVA supplement, but it depends on how the cataloger handles it.

## **IMPORTANT**

THANKS to those of you who returned your ballots. Even though it was a foregone conclusion with such a limited slate, it is gratifying to know you at least cared to express interest and action in the process. The number of returns far exceeded any national percentage of response to polls, elections etc. Sixty-one members responded.

PATCO's new officers effective 1 May 1987 will be:

James Kriss, President

Richard Crosby, Vice President

Rodger Hershey, Sec / Treas

Best of all Jim Kunz will continue as Editor of the Journal.

Respectfully,  
R. E. Hershey, Election Chairman



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## PENNSYLVANIA MAVERICK TOKENS

0004 PITTSBURGH (Allegheny)  
 FUHS / BOGGS / & / GREENBUSH  
 BOTTLE / 5 / CHECK  
 Al 18 Oc Sd  
 (1911-1913 Business Dir.  
 36 Boggs, by Jim Kriss)



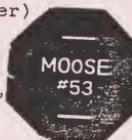
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 HOECHSTETTER / HOTEL / 800 /  
 PENNSYLVANIA / AVE. / N. S.  
 H. O. P. / 2 1/2  
 Al 24 Rd Sd  
 (1913-1917 Business Dir.  
 N.S. Pgh., by Jim Kriss)



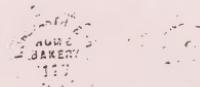
0006 PITTSBURGH (Allegheny)  
 HOTEL RICHELIEU / J.L. MILLS /  
 1109 / LIBERTY AVE.  
 2 1/2  
 Ni 21 Rd Sd  
 (1893-1898 Business Dir.  
 by Jim Kriss)



0007 NEW KENSINGTON (Westmoreland)  
 --- / MOOSE / # 53 / ---  
 --- / B / --- (bottle beer)  
 Pb 29 Oc Sd  
 --- / W / --- (whiskey)  
 Pg 29 Oc Sd  
 (1940 Business Dir., Per.Rec.,  
 by Jim Kriss)



0008 HOMESTEAD (Allegheny)  
 WOHLFARTH BROS. / HOME / BAKERY /  
 117 / 8TH AVE.  
 BREAD / 10 ¢ / CHECK  
 Br 21 Rd Sd  
 (1937, 1939-40, 1941 Business Dir.,  
 1932, 1934, 1938 Pgh. Tel. Dir.  
 by Richard Bottles Jr.)



0009 LEBANON (Lebanon)  
 LEBANON CO. / DEMOCRATIC / CLUB  
 GOOD FOR / 5 ¢ / IN TRADE  
 Al 21 Oc Sd  
 (1938, 1948 Business Dir. by Jim Kriss)



0010 KANE (Mc Kean)  
 (elk head) / KANE, No. 329.  
 GOOD FOR / 5 / IN / MERCHANTISE  
 Al 22 Rd Sd  
 (1983 B.P.O.E. Dir., by Jim Kunz)



## GALLITZIN TOKEN UPDATE

In the March - April issue of the PATCO Journal, page 2-5 $\frac{1}{4}$ , member Rodger Hershey requested clarification and information on the following token:



OBV: S.M.S.I. / 5¢ / GALLITZIN, PA.  
REV: (flag with crown over shield in center)

Nickle, 22mm

Rodger reports that it is a token of the Saint Michaels Society Inc. of Gallitzin, PA. The flag on the reverse is the flag of Czechoslovakia. The club was an ethnic social club established during World War I due to the shortage of silver, resulting in the issuing of their own script. (Source: Gallitzin, PA post office)

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## DAHLBERG RADIO TOKEN UPDATE

CALIFORNIA	
Redding	Memorial Hospital
IDAHO	
Cottonwood	Our Lady of Consolation Hospital
ILLINOIS	
Christopher	Miners Hospital
LOUISIANA	
Ville Platte	Attaway Clinic and Hospital
PENNSYLVANIA	
Brookville	Brookville Hospital
Greenville	Greenville Hospital

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONCERNING THE PENNSYLVANIA ATTRIBUTED MAVERICK LIST SEE THE LAST ISSUE OF THE JOURNAL. SEND ALL LISTINGS CARE OF THE EDITOR, JIM KUNZ, 3333 FLEMING AVE., PITTSBURGH, PA 15212.

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REPORT ON THE PATCO SWAP:

OUR SWAP WAS HELD ON SATURDAY, MARCH 7, 1987, AT THE CONSOLIDATED COAL BUILDING IN THE SOUTH HILLS OF PITTSBURGH, PA. AND WE HAD AN ATTENDANCE OF 18 MEMBERS. ONE HIGHLIGHT OF THE ATTENDANCE WAS THAT WE GAINED THREE NEW MEMBERS: SAM DEEP, JOHN LANNIS, & JOHN BURNS.

THERE WAS A SHORT BUSINESS MEETING AND A DISCUSSION COVERED: BALLOTS FOR NEW OFFICERS; ARCHIVES ITEMS ARE , AND WILL BE IN THE CUSTODY OF JIM KUNZ; AND A LETTER FROM THE PENNSYLVANIA ASSOCIATION OF NUMISMATISTS (PAN) INVITING PATCO TO HOLD A MEETING IN CONJUNCTION WITH THEIR SHOW IN LANCASTER, PA, OCTOBER 10-12, 1987 AT THE AMERICAN HOST RESORT, SITE OF THEIR 8th ANNUAL CONVENTION.

LATER DISCUSSION OF THE SUBJECT SHOWED MORE INTEREST IN A SWAP MEET IN LANCASTER AT THAT TIME. ANY OF YOU WHO ARE LOCAL TO THAT AREA HAVE ANY SUGGESTIONS AS TO A MEETING? WE NEED A ROOM TO ACCOMODATE 25-30 TRADERS. ANY ONE FROM THIS AREA WILLING TO HELP ARRANGE A SWAP LET ME KNOW.

OUR CURRENT BANK BALANCE IS \$265.24. BY THE WAY, PATCO HAS SOME WELL KNOWN AND AUTHORITIVE COLLECTORS, WRITE AN ARTICLE.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,

RODGER E. HERSHY, SEC\*TREAS.

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REMINDER

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THANK YOU.